

## Message Text

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FOLLOWING REPEAT PANAMA 6466 ACTION SECSTATE USIA WASHDC INFO  
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QUOTE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE PANAMA 6466

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PINT, PFOR, PN  
SUBJECT: EMBASSY PRESS RELEASE

REF: PANAMA 6465

FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF EMBASSY PRESS RELEASE TO BE ISSUED  
DENYING ALLEGATIONS SUMMARIZED REFTEL: BEGIN TEXT:

NEITHER THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT NOR ANY OF  
ITS AGENCIES HAS BEEN INVOLVED IN ANY OF THE RECENT  
DISTURBANCES IN PANAMA.

WE REGRET THAT UNFOUNDED ALLEGATIONS HAVE BEEN  
MADE WHICH CAN ONLY IMPACT UNFAVORABLY ON THE FRIENDLY  
RELATIONS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND PANAMA AND  
AFFECT ADVERSELY THE ONGOING NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN OUR  
TWO COUNTRIES. END TEXT. JORDEN UNQUOTE  
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